
BUDGET UNIT BRIEF – FY 2018

Fiscal Services Division

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Waterloo Garage Renovations — Primary Road Fund

History and Purpose

The Department of Transportation (DOT) manages nearly 150 maintenance garages, construction facilities, materials labs, and district offices. The DOT generally receives an appropriation for one major renovation or replacement project per fiscal year. The following is a list of previous projects approved by the General Assembly:

- FY 2008 – Clarinda (\$2.3 million)
- FY 2009 – Waukon (\$2.5 million)
- FY 2010 – Rockwell City (\$3.0 million)
- FY 2012 – Swea City (\$2.1 million)
- FY 2013 – New Hampton (\$5.2 million)
- FY 2014 – Mason City Combined Facility (\$6.5 million)
- FY 2015 – Des Moines North Garage (\$6.4 million)
- FY 2016 – Muscatine/Wapello Combined Facility (\$5.4 million)
- FY 2016 – Ames Administration Building (\$2.0 million)
- FY 2017 – Mount Pleasant/Fairfield Facility (\$4.9 million)

The current structure in Waterloo was built in 1972. Renovations to the site will include upgrades to the electrical system, replacing the radiant heat and the garage roof, addition of a mechanics bay, and remodeling restrooms for compliance with the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA). Renovations will extend the life of the facility by 25 years.

State Funding

The appropriation for these capital projects is included in the Transportation Appropriations Act under the purview of the Transportation, Infrastructure, and Capitals Appropriations Subcommittee. For estimated FY 2019, \$1.8 million was appropriated from the Primary Road Fund.

Related Statutes and Administrative Rules

Iowa Code chapter [321](#)

Iowa Administrative Code [761](#)

More Information

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